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THE WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION IS CREATED AND CONTINUED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language repetitive of section 1-102 and is restated here for the convenience of the Code user interested only in the subject matter of Title 10.

The present law, as amended by Chapter 348, Acts of 1972, is silent as to who heads the Wildlife Administration, its general duties, responsibility, and staff. To this extent, this subtitle is structured differently from the Water Resources Administration. See section 8-201 of this Article.

10-202. RESPONSIBILITY OF SECRETARY - IN GENERAL.

THE SECRETARY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT OF WILDLIFE AND WILDLIFE RESOURCES OF THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from the last sentence of Article 66C, section 112A of the Code, as amended by Chapter 348, Acts of 1972.

10-203. TRANSFER OF JURISDICTION OF DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISH AND FISH AND WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION TO DEPARTMENT.

EVERY RIGHT, POWER, DUTY, OBLIGATION, AND FUNCTION PREVIOUSLY CONFERRED UPON OR EXERCISED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISH OR THE FISH AND WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION IS TRANSFERRED TO AND MAY BE EXERCISED BY THE DEPARTMENT. EVERY REFERENCE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISH OR THE FISH AND WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION WHICH APPEARS IN THE CODE, IN ANY OTHER STATE LAW, OR IN ANY ORDINANCE, RESOLUTION, REGULATION, LEGAL ACTION, DIRECTIVE, OR DOCUMENT, MEANS THE DEPARTMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from Article 66C, section 112A, as amended by Chapter 348, Acts of 1972. A similar section appears in Title 4 pertaining to fish and fisheries.